

IN THE ABSTRACT

- a. Please replace the abstract on page 24 with the following amended paragraph:

~~A system and method are provided for~~ message is automatically broadcast ~~broadcasting a message~~ to a plurality of recipients from a mobile wireless communications device. ~~The method comprises: preprogramming a A~~ recipient list of recipient names and addresses is preprogrammed and stored ; ~~storing the recipient list in the wireless communications device.~~ Recorded voice and text messages are sent to ; ~~recording voice and text messages; selecting recipients and recipient telephones, voicemail systems, and email and Internet addresses from the recipient list; and, selecting delivery status options.~~ The delivery Delivery status options can be used selected to identify the recipient addresses receiving the message, the recipient addresses with answering machines receiving the message, the recipient addresses not accepting the message, or non-communicating recipient addresses. In addition, recipient message response options can be selected including accepting, displaying or storing the responses. ~~For example, the user can accept responses from the recipients, display the responses from the recipients, or store the responses from the recipients in the wireless communications device.~~ Recipient non-receipt options also can be selected, such as rebroadcasting the message to recipient addresses not receiving the message, displaying a status message regarding ~~recipient addresses not receiving the message~~, or doing nothing in response to recipient addresses not receiving the message.